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PROPOSES A LABOR UNION FOR PREACHERS

Chicago, Jan. 5—Chicago preachers are under-paid, over-worked and are in need of a labor-union to protect their interests, according to Rev. Melbourne P. Boynton, pastor of the Lexington avenue Baptist church here.

GIRL SWALLOWS 94 QUININE TABLETS

Newark, N. J., Jan. 5—The first case of suicide by taking quinine that ever come to the notice of the health authorities here is being investigated by County Physician McKenzie. Miss Martha Maas, 19 years old, was the suicide. She killed herself by swallowing 188 grains of the drug in two-grain pills. She was despondent over a tardy recovery from an operation for appendicitis.

ASK $2,000 FROM D.J.C.

Ann Arbor, Jan. 5—The city has taken the first steps toward collecting the cost of paving over the outside ends of the D., J. & C. ties on South Main street and Packard. The street car company owes, according to Engineer Groves, over two thousand dollars to the city.

UNION SERVICE SUNDAY

STONY CREEK CONGREGATIONS WILL JOIN FOR SPECIAL MEETING IN M. E. CHURCH.

The Methodist and Presbyterian churches of Stony Creek will hold a union service at 10:30 Sunday morning in the Methodist church. Rev. Mr. Mitchell and Professor DeForrest Ross will have charge of the services.

TAXES.

The City Treasurer's office will be open Saturday, Jan. 6, from 7 to 9 p. m. to receive taxes. Pay taxes and save percentage. B. C. PAGE,
104-106* City Treasurer.

On account of extreme cold and as an inducement to all, admission to illustrated lecture, 10 cents, at Opera House, TONIGHT.

WEATHER FORECAST

Snow tonight. Saturday colder.
Temperature at noon, 5°.

VICTIM OF RAILROAD ACCIDENT HAD RECENTLY VISITED IN YPSILANTI

William R. Perry who was instantly killed when a Third line car passed over his body in Detroit, Thursday, had been spending a short time with his wife at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. O. Hoyt of this city. Mrs. Perry was a cousin of Mrs. Hoyt. Mr. and Mrs. Perry were on their way from Canandaigua, N. Y., to California to spend the winter.

PRISON CASES ARE ORDERED CLOSED BY COUNTY SUPERVISORS

Jackson, Mich., Jan. 5—The Jackson county board of supervisors has passed a resolution directing the sheriff and prosecuting attorney not to spend any more money on the old prison grand jury cases and to collect from the state money already due for those previously tried.

A TRIBUTE TO THE MEMORY OF AN OLD FRIEND, HIRAM P. THOMPSON

Mr. Hiram P. Thompson, who departed this life on Dec. 28th, 1911, at his home in Milan, Mich., was buried at Stony Creek Jan. 1st, 1912. He was born on a farm in Augusta township, Washtenaw county, August 25th, 1839. He lived on the farm where he was born for seventy continuous years. Two years ago, his health failing, he moved to Milan, leaving a tenant in the house on the farm.

His father, Hiram Thompson, took up the land (one-half section) from the government in 1831 at 25 cents an acre, and lived there nearly fifty years, when he moved to Ypsilanti, leaving his son in possession. Mr. Thompson inherited many of the sterling qualities of his parents who were of New England birth and attended the same church (Methodist) that his father and mother helped to build and support, which stands now as a memorial to their loyalty and benefactions. He was laid to rest in the cemetery close to the church, beside his wife, two children, father and mother.

A good citizen, a true friend to all, with the respect of the community in which he lived, has gone.

We will miss his smiling face, his cheerful greeting. He leaves an older sister, Mrs. Ancil Williams of Ypsilanti; a niece, Mrs. Mabel T. Hay of Seattle; an adopted daughter, Mrs. Cora Davis of Oklahoma, to mourn his loss.

DIRECTOR OF THE PAN-AMERICAN UNION WILL MAKE A LONG TOUR

Washington, Jan. 5—John Barrett, director of the Pan-American union, has decided to make an eight months' tour of the Latin-American republics. Leaving here about May 1, next, he will visit all of the 20 republics which are members of the Pan-American union.

CAPT. WADE GETS A MEDAL

JOHN B. WADE GRANTED $10,000 BEQUEST FOR BRAVERY IN N. Y. HARBOR.

New York, Jan. 5—John B. Wade, a tugboat captain, who was badly burned in the fire of the excursion ship General Slocum in 1904, and received a congressional medal for his bravery in effecting scores of rescues, will receive a $10,000 bequest as a result of his bravery. The bequest comes from Mrs. T. Ladmore, of Farmingdale, Long Island, one of the women whom he saved. She died a few days ago.

The day the General Slocum took fire Wade's boat was the first tug to reach the doomed vessel.

LAD SENTENCED

YOUNG INCORRIGABLE ASSIGNED WORK IN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL FOR BOYS.

Elmer Rathfon, the fourteen-year-old lad, who was arrested on a charge of petty larceny Wednesday night, was arraigned before Judge Leland in Ann Arbor this morning. He was sentenced to the Industrial School at Lansing to remain until he is 18 years of age. His older brother was sentenced to the same institution a short time ago.

PUBLIC BENEFACTIONS RUN HIGH FOR 1911

The public benefactions of 1911 have amounted in this country to more than $150,000,000, according to the 1912 issue of the World Almanac.

This total was never exceeded except in 1909, when the aggregate approximated $175,000,000.

Andrew Carnegie has this year given away more than $40,000,000. His largest gift was $25,000,000 to the Carnegie corporation of New York, specially organized by the legislature at Albany to carry on the iron man's charities.

Mr. Carnegie, who is now a little more than seventy-seven years of age, has given to the public over $221,000,000.

Rockefeller Far Behind.

The elder John D. Rockefeller's publicly announced gifts this year have not amounted in all to more than $3,000,000, of which $1,315,000 went to the University of Chicago and $1,000,000 to the Rockefeller Institute For Medical Research in New York city. The rest was to colleges far west and south. The donation to the University of Chicago was the second annual installment of the "single and final gift" of $10,000,000 to that institution.

The second largest individual giver was Frederick C. Hewitt, who left $2,000,000 to the Postgraduate Medical school and hospital and $2,000,000 to the Little Missionary Day nursery, both New York institutions.

Joseph Pulitzer bequeathed more than $3,000,000 to public uses.

The missionary societies of America reported that their gifts have exceeded $13,000,000 in the year.

Colleges Big Gainers.

The colleges have been large gainers through the generosity of their wealthy graduates. Columbia university received $2,535,000.

Harvard and Princeton universities were left more than $1,700,000 apiece, and Chicago, Yale and Johns Hopkins universities inherited more than a million each.

The crusade against tuberculosis got a lift to the extent of $2,000,000 from James A. Patten, the Chicago grain operator.

The Presbyterian hospital in New York came into an additional installment of nearly $3,000,000 from the estate of John S. Kennedy.

Prominent women were large givers to public purposes. Mrs. Russell Sage provided $300,000 for a new dormitory at Cornell university and $400,000 for other purposes.

Other Women Givers.

Mrs. Rhinelander King of Great Neck, N. Y., provided nearly $1,500,000 for church charities and $700,000 was dispensed for the same purpose by Mrs. Mary Lathrop Peabody of Boston. Mrs. Emily H. Moir of this city gave $500,000 to charities and colleges, and Mrs. Emily Yarnell of Philadelphia left $500,000 to St. Clement's Protestant Episcopal church there.

Mrs. E. H. Harriman gave $200,000 to the hospital department of the Southern Pacific Railroad company and $125,000 to Yale university, principally for forestry.

Dr. D. K. Pearsons of Hinsdale, Ill., found he still had some of his fortune left, and he celebrated his ninety-first birthday by giving $300,000 to charity.

DAILY PRESS PROFITBRINGERS GIVE QUICK RESULTS.

APPOINT NEW COMMITTEES

PITTSFIELD AID MEMBERS AND FRIENDS MEET AT HOME OF MRS. PLATT.

The Pittsfield Ladies' Aid society held an important meeting, attended by forty-eight ladies, besides visitors, at the home of Mrs. H. D. Platt on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Platt was assisted by Mrs. O. B. Pester, Mrs. Roswell Parsons, and Mrs. Edward Payne. Blocks were pieced in the morning and at noon a delicious dinner was served.

Committees for the year 1912 were appointed as follows:

Executive committee: Mrs. Frank Begole, Mrs. George Strong, Miss Mary Harwood, Mrs. Marvin B. Warner.

Work committee: Mesdames S. E. Crittenden, Wm. Jarvis, Mary Meade, H. D. Platt, Emma Fiske, Geo. Seaver.

Visiting committee: Miss Mary Hubbell, Mesdames D. V. Harris, Clara Roberts, Geo. McCalla, Clara Elliott.

Floral committee: Mesdames Roberts, Minnie Fiske.

Music: Mrs. Guy Miller, Miss Nellie Sherwood.

Reception: Mesdames Jennie Harris, Edward Eedy, Lewis Rice.

Organist: Miss Sara Parsons.

Press correspondent, Mrs. N. C. Carpenter.

Dinner committee for February: Mesdames. Deubel, Henry Laflin, Frank Davis, Edward Eedy.

The program consisted of a vocal duet by Mrs. Guy Miller and Miss Sara Parsons, a recitation, "The Wedding," by Mrs. N. C. Carpenter, and a reading by Mrs. D. V. Harris.

A candy guessing contest conducted by Miss Mary Hubbell, resulted in Mrs. Clara Elliott winning the prize of a spoon.

The February meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. George Seaver, and at this time the gentlemen will be entertained.

CONSUL C. A. DAVIS GIVES GOOD LECTURE

The illustrated lecture on the beautiful Island of Ceylon given by the Consul of the United States in that British colony, Hon. Chester Arthur Davis, at the Opera House, Thursday evening was decidedly interesting.

Mayor Towner happily presented Mr. Davis and the lecturer was well greeted.

Consul Davis first delivered a ten minute introduction in which he described the attractiveness of the port of Colombo and the island. He dealt with the commercial possibilities and traced the history of the island from the native kings through the Dutch and Portuguese occupations, and under British rule which commenced in 1796. Mr. Davis said that today Ceylon is for its size the most prosperous of all British colonies.

The views were profuse with beautiful illustrations. Not the least interesting of these was the view of the famous Elephant Kraal or "Sport of Kings." Mr. Davis is one of the few white men who has witnessed the kraaling of elephants and has written many interesting newspaper and magazine articles on it.

The lecture will be repeated this evening and the splendid impression made by Mr. Davis last evening despite the difficulties under which he labored will doubtless be the means of giving him a good house this evening.

PIANO RECITAL TO-NIGHT

The next concert on the Normal Concert Course will be a recital on Friday evening, Jan. 5, by the distinguished pianist, Mr. Harold Bauer. The recital will begin promptly at eight o'clock. Patrons desirous of hearing the entire program should be in their seats by 7:50 since the doors will be closed five minutes before eight in order to insure absolute quiet at the entrance of the artist. Any arriving at the doors after 7:50 will be asked to remain outside until a suitable opportunity arrives in the program for entrances. Mr. Bauer is a genius of world-wide reputation. His coming gives distinction to the Normal Concert Course. Professor Alexander received an order today for fourteen seats from a Detroit conservatory—this being Mr. Bauer's only Michigan appearance in recital. The program follows:

Prelude and Fugue.....Mendelssohn
Sonata in F Major.....Mozart
Etudes Symphoniques.....Schumann
Nocturne in E.....Chopin
Scherzo in C sharp minor.....Chopin
Melody .....Gluck-Sgambati
Mephisto Waltz .....Liszt

DANCING.

Prof. Scott will give Saturday evening assemblies at Rowima Hall. 35c each couple. No single admissions.

Remember the Epiphany party at St. Luke's church house Saturday, 5:30 to 7. Come and see who is crowned Epiphany queen.

NO PROVISION FOR TUBERCULOSIS CASES AT NEW HOSPITAL

The newly established hospital in this city is laboring under the burden of its policy being in one respect misunderstood. The hospital, contrary to prevalent reports, does not take any tuberculosis patients. The matron, Mrs. White, will not accept patients suffering from this malady until she is situated where she can arrange for a shack.

SALE OF COUNTRY CLUB PROPERTY TO BE SETTLED SOON

The stockholders of the Washtenaw Country Club will probably take definite action of the proposition presented by the D., J. & C. Ry. Co. regarding the running of their tracks over the present club house premises, at a meeting to be held Monday evening. Committees have been appointed by the club members to confer with the D., J. & C. officials and a report will be made at this time. This is a meeting of considerable importance and the stockholders are urged to be present and take an active part in the discussion of the question.

UNUSUALLY INTERESTING PROGRAM FOR VESPER SERVICE NEXT SUNDAY

The vesper services at the Congregational church Sunday evening will be of an unusually interesting character this week. Regent Junius Beal of Ann Arbor, who is doing much to help the cause, will speak on "Conservation," at 5 o'clock. An invitation is extended to the public to attend.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the C. W. Powell Mfg. Co. will be held in the office of the company on Chicago avenue Monday evening, Jan. 8, at 7:30 o'clock, for purpose of electing officers and directors for ensuing year.
108 LEWIS JAMES, Sec.

COLD WAVE BRINGS SUFFERING TO MANY

LOWEST TEMPERATURE OF WINTER IS REGISTERED IN MANY SECTIONS OF U.S.--CITY POOR UNPREPARED

The coldest wave that has swept the state this winter, was registered here Thursday night and this morning. During the night local thermometers registered from six to ten degrees below zero, the temperature being lowest about six o'clock this morning.

According to reports today there will be little relief in temperature tonight or tomorrow. The weather report says snow tonight and colder Saturday.

AT DULUTH THERMOMETERS DROP TO 35 BELOW ZERO

Duluth, Minn., Jan. 5—Street thermometers here this morning showed 33 to 35 below zero. A slow north wind is blowing. This is the coldest day of the winter. Duluth is said by the bureau to be the coldest place in the United States.

MANY SUFFER IN CHICAGO; TWO FROZEN

Chicago, Jan. 5—Chicago shivered today before the iciest blast that has visited the city in two years. Zero weather for the first time this winter came in early last evening before a driving northwest wind that continued to send the mercury downward until 2 o'clock this morning, when 6 degrees below was reached.

The bitter blast found many Chicago poor unprepared. The municipal lodging house accommodated 750 men, 300 more than its ordinary capacity. When all beds were filled, bunks were made on the floors.

When the last inch of space was taken 100 more who could not be accommodated were sent to police stations. Two men were found on the streets by policemen, badly frozen, and were sent to hospitals.

By a coincidence one year ago today was the coldest day of the year in Chicago.

CAR LINES IN BATTLE CREEK ARE DISABLED

Battle Creek, Jan. 5.—Battle Creek is shivering today. The thermometer dropped to four belo wzero, accompanied by a driving wind that kept the streets cleared of pedestrians and traffic. The cold caused two high tension wires to break, thereby tying up the local street car lines. Every business in the city ran short handed for from one to three hours this morning, until delayed employes could walk to work.

BUSINESS AT A STANDSTILL IN MARSHALL—TRAINS LATE

Marshall, Mich., Jan. 5—The coldest weather since 1864 is the record here. The mercury dropped to 10 below last night and four below at 7 o'clock today. A brisk wind is blowing, accompanied by drifting snow. Business is at a standstill. Trains on all steam and electric roads are several hours late.

BAPTIST WEEK OF PRAYER

SPECIAL TOPICS FOR EACH EVENING NEXT WEEK EXCEPT SATURDAY.

The First Baptist church of this city will observe a week of prayer, commencing next Monday. The general theme will be, "The Prayers of Jesus." The topics will be as follows:

Monday, "The Model Prayer"; Tuesday, "His Mountain Prayers"; Wednesday, "Prayers of Entire Devotion"; Thursday, "The Great Prayer"; Friday, "Intercessory Prayers."

Special music has been arranged for each evening.

BIG DAY FOR R. & S.M.

The royal and select faster's degree was conferred upon Hon. Frank Newton at the afternoon session of Union Council, No. 11, R. and S. M., at the Masonic Temple, Wednesday. In the evening the super excellent degree was conferred upon Chas. M. Holmes, Eugene L. MacLachlan, Elmer Kimes, Chas. R. Clark and John Jeffries. A banquet with covers for 60 was served.

DOUBLE TARIFF SYSTEM MAY LEAD TO DIFFICULTIES IN U. S.

Washington, Jan. 5—It is believed that serious tariff difficulties will automatically arise between Russia and the United States with the termination of the treaty of 1832 on Dec. 15 next unless by that time a new treaty has been negotiated or Russia goes out of her way to grant rate concessions to this country.

These difficulties will grow out of the double tariff system of the Russian government. One set of schedules is to be applied to goods coming from countries with which Russia has treaties containing "most favored nation" clauses. The other rates are to be applied to imports from countries with which Russia has not in force any guarantee of "most favored nation" treatment. The latter rates are known as the "general tariff" of Russia, while the former are called the "conventional tariff." The conventional tariff was built up through concessions to various countries granting reductions on goods of a particular class. Through long operation of this system and the extension of the "most favored nation" treatment these concessions, granted a few at a time, have become the tariff rates ordinarily applied.

With the termination of the treaty of 1832 the United States will no longer have any guarantee of the most favored nation tariff treatment, and under the ordinary interpretation of the Russian tariff law the general tariff rates, considerably higher than those of the conventional tariff, will be applied to American goods.

A Tariff War.

If this is done and the maximum and minimum provision of the Payne-Aldrich tariff law is still in force President Taft will be obliged to revoke the proclamation granting minimum rates to Russian goods. The minimum rate concession is by law to remain in force only so long as the Russian government makes no discrimination against American goods. The application of the general tariff rates by Russia will undoubtedly be construed as discrimination, enforcing the revocation of the minimum American tariff rates.

This situation would be nothing less than a tariff war, the effect of which, of course, can hardly be foreseen at this time.

For the year ended June 30, 1911, the value of American exports to Russia was about twice that of Russian goods brought into this country. Exports to Russia, consisting chiefly of agricultural implements, unmanufactured cotton and steel, were valued at $24,704,049. The value of Russian goods imported into the United States, principally hides, skins and unmanufactured wool, were valued at $12,203,462.

State Department's Plans.

It is the intention of the state department to make no effort to press the negotiation of a new treaty with Russia for a considerable time. It is believed that nothing but embarrassment to both sides could result from endeavoring to open the discussion of the Jewish passport question and a new treaty at present. It is intended that Russia shall have a long time to forget about any momentary resentment of the agitation in the United States.

Above all else the department would wish that Russia herself would at some time within the next twelve months offer to begin negotiations of a new treaty. It is hardly expected, however, that the Russian government will prove to be so good natured and helpful.

If favorable opportunity presents itself within the next year the Russian government will be invited to negotiate a naturalization treaty with the United States. For more than fifty years Russia has declined to negotiate such a treaty, as she still adheres to the doctrine of perpetual allegiance and does not recognize the right of her subjects to become citizens of another country and absolve themselves of all the obligations of Russian citizenship. If such a treaty could be negotiated it is believed most of the passport troubles would automatically disappear.

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TO HARPOON SUBMARINES.

Government Working on Novel Plan to Protect Battleships.

The navy department is at work on a system of defense against an attack by submarine boats, which, it is predicted, will prove most damaging to this latest type of sea fighters.

The details of the new system are carefully guarded by the department, but when it is perfected battleships will be able to take care of themselves against this type of destroyer, the officials think.

According to the reports, the idea is that of an officer who knows the methods of whalers. It is said that a harpoon has been designed which can be discharged from a gun into a submarine. The harpoon is to be attached to a steel cable so the submarines may be located after being speared.

GEORGE L. HULL DEAD

Dr. G. M. Hull was called to Detroit today by the death of his father, George L. Hull. Mr. Hull died at 8 o'clock this morning at the home of his daughter, Miss Bell Hull. He was 84 years old. The body was taken to Ann Arbor this afternoon to the home of a daughter, Mrs. E. T. Edmunds, where the funeral will be held at 2:00 Saturday afternoon. The interment will be at Ann Arbor.

CONGREGATIONAL MEN TO DISCUSS GAS PROJECT

It is proposed that at the next meeting of the Congregational Men's club the matter of the pending gas franchise will be discussed.

After supper at the meeting of the club Wednesday evening the men engaged in a discussion of a variety of useful projects. They talked of the feasibility of using the basement of the church edifice for the boys, thereby following the custom obtaining in many institutional churches. Messrs. Mellencamp, Hopkins and Harvey were appointed a committee to look into this.

It was suggested that a canvass be made of the different wards of the city and presented to each minister in the city that he might check off the names that belonged to his church, making it thus possible to determine how many men in the city have no relation to any church.

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WHITE PLAGUE HAS TERRIBLE HOLD IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

In making a study of the occupational relations to tuberculosis one cannot help being impressed by the frequent occurrence of tuberculosis among school teachers. A careful study of the following table will give a very comprehensive idea of the situation.

Over a period of years 52.4% of the deaths among school teachers, between the ages of 25 and 34, were due to tuberculosis, while only 25.8% of the deaths among all persons in Michigan, between the ages of 25 and 34, were due to this disease. Among school teachers of all ages 27.6% of the deaths were due to tuberculosis, while among all persons of all ages only 9.4% were due to this disease.

The average person interested in the prevention of tuberculosis thinks of this disease as peculiarly one of the large cities, closely associated with the evils of congestion of population and crowded or dark tenement house rooms. And it is true, of course, that tuberculosis does breed and thrive very readily in the large urban centers of population.

But, in the light of recent studies, it is beginning to be recognized that there is another breeding place, furnishing just as fertile soil as the city tenement, and producing a proportionally great harvest of consumption victims. This field is none other than the country farmhouse, blessed with an environment of free, fresh, circulating air, but cursed too often by filth, ignorance and neglect.

The studies of the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis Association, summarized, show clearly that to the average inhabitant of rural communities, tuberculosis is just about as serious a menace as it is to the city dweller. Into many isolated farmhouses or tiny hamlets sequestered from the main roads of travel, the knowledge that tuberculosis is a dangerous, infectious and preventable disease has not yet penetrated. Here the consumptive lives and dies in ignorance of the danger which he is spreading. The house becomes infested and infected with countless hordes of the tuberculosis germs and one after another, the stalwart sons and daughters of the once sturdy farmer sink away, slaughtered by ignorance.

This ignorance, together with bad housing conditions (particularly the notorious lack of ventilation), careless personal habits, and the vices and neglects of the farmer, transmit tuberculosis from generation to generation, and keep the rural death rate up to and above that of the cities.

It is to be hoped that investigation of rural conditions will be made in every state, and that when the facts are known action will be taken to remedy the bad conditions. Minnesota has taken a step in the right direction by giving legislative permission to counties to employ rural tuberculosis nurses. These house-to-house visitors, together with adequate county hospital provisions, would soon make perceptible inroads on the ravages of rural tuberculosis.—Outdoor Life.

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THE PEOPLE OF YPSILANTI CANNOT AFFORD TO GRANT ANY GAS COMPANY ANY FRANCHISE IT WILL ACCEPT.

THE PEOPLE SHOULD OWN AND OPERATE THE GAS BUSINESS FOR THEIR OWN PERPETUAL BENEFIT, AND NOT PERMIT A NON-RESIDENT PRIVATE CORPORATION, FOR REVENUE ONLY, TO TRAFFIC IN THEIR NECESSITIES.

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"CITY GOVERNMENT BY COMMISSION."

(Continued)

The commissioners in the city of Galveston present in their reports such a convincing array of facts that it would be idle to question the success of the new regime. This success has been attributed in general to three or four canons or policies, from which the commission have not swerved during the last five years and which may be summed up as:

1. The use of approved business methods in civic financing. 2. The entire elimination of all leakages in expenditures. 3. The making of all appointments on the basis of individual efficiency. 4. The strict accountability of each commissioner for the ongoings of his own department.

All the improvements of the last half decade in the Texan city have been attributed substantially to the fact that the new system of government has rendered strict adherence to these fundamental rules of sound municipal administration possible and even imperative.

The cardinal advantage of the system is that it affords definite hope of putting an end to the intolerable decentralization of responsibility, which now characterizes American civic administration. By concentrating power and focusing public attention upon a narrow area, it will render more effective the scrutiny which voters may apply to the conduct of men in public office. If the system does not guarantee efficient administration, it at least promises to disclose where the blame for inefficiency should be made to fall. It will undoubtedly facilitate the election of a higher type of men, for American municipal experience has plainly demonstrated that small bodies with large powers attract a better class of citizens than large bodies with restricted jurisdiction. A small commission would indeed simplify the task of dealing with civic franchises on a business basis and if there be any fear that the unchecked power of granting municipal franchises is a jurisdiction too momentus to be vested in the hands of a small body, provision may be made, as in the Des Moines charter, for having the acts of the commission in this sphere subject to ratification by the voters.

A system of government by commission will serve to render municipal administration more prompt and more effective in action. In a multitude of counselors there may be wisdom but there is also almost inevitably friction, delay and intriguery. A system of division of powers is almost certain to counterbalance what it gains in security against hasty and arbitrary action by what it loses in inability to cope with problems which demand prompt, united and uncompromising attention.

That the system of administration by a small body of men tends to remove control 'way from the people' is an assertion which the whole history of local government in the United States absolutely refutes. Indeed, it has been proven time and again that a single elective officer may, in his official action, more faithfully reflect public opinion than a large body of elective representatives.

Much of the talent and unreasoning prejudice against the new plan springs no doubt from the popular association of the 'commission' with the idea of state interference in municipal matters. An important feature of both the Galveston and the Des Moines plans of city government by commission is that the appropriating' and 'spending' authorities are fused. As the present system of civic administration is too complicated and too cursed with the curse of divided responsibility to prove reasonably efficient, any step in the direction of simplification should be welcomed by those who have the best interests of American cities at heart.

Those who are prone to look askance at anything which involves concentration of power may be reminded that power is never dangerous when accompanied by an equal concentration of responsibility. The plan can be said to have established prime facie case, and it well deserves a sympathetic trial on a sufficiently broad scale to enable it to be fairly judged."

Subsequent chapters will deal with modifications of the Galveston plan, which have been found advantageous by some of the more than a hundred other American cities which have adopted the plan and are well pleased with its workings.

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Those of our readers who are perusing the very interesting and timely chapters of Senator La Follette's autobiography running in the American Magazine will be impressed from month to month with the fact that what Senator La Follette had to contend with in Wisconsin other reformers have the same, in perhaps a modified form, to contend with in their own state.

Michigan does not need to be reminded that it has had more or less trouble with the administration of the office of its state treasurer. Senator La Follette says of conditions in Wisconsin, "One of the political grafts in Wisconsin, ancient and time-honored, was the farming out of the public funds to favored banks. Excepting the office of governor, the state treasuryship was more sought after than any other place on the ticket. The reason for this lay in the fact that the state treasurer was able to deposit public moneys in such banks as he choose, on terms satisfactory to the bankers and profitable to himself. Interest on this money was regarded as a political perquisite."

And then follows a very interesting political history connected with a number of lawsuits that grew out of this system and which were brought against state treasurers and their bondsmen. And one of the larger bondsmen being Senator Ferrier of Wisconsin, an attempt of bribery of the court by this old senator of the old school illustrates a specimen of the civic conscience of the generation just back of us. The political standard of that time may be expressed in these words applied to Senator Ferrier: "I've always believed that Ferrier did not violate his standard of political ethics; like many politicians, he regarded Congress as a useful agency for the promotion of business enterprises in which he and his friends who were identified were interested."

But the very evolution of that attempt at bribery shows the leaven of higher ideals and, as William Allen White puts it, "The old order changeth."

BEAUTY TRUTHS

Pimples, Sallowness, Blotches and Dull Eyes Caused by Stomach.

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NEWS FROM OVER THE COUNTY

SALINE

Saline, Dec. 5—Mrs. William Derendinger returned Saturday from a week's visit with her sister in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rowe entertained Rev. and Mrs. Tree on New Year's day.

The B. Y. P. U. held their regular monthly business meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hoyt spent Xmas in Detroit with their son, Homer, and wife.

A little son, James Frederick, arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Desbrough, Dec. 23. His weight was 8½ pounds.

George Miller spent Saturday and Sunday in Detroit.

William P. Griffen of Detroit spent part of the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Francis Gould of York.

The Misses Christiana and Vesta Seger returned to Ann Arbor Tuesday after spending a week with their parents.

Miss Luella Kyte spent the latter part of last week in Chelsea with her sister, Mrs. Charles Foster.

Miss Julia Lederer was home from Lansing last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parsons entertained at a six o'clock dinner last Saturday. Covers were laid for twelve.

Mr. and Mrs. Arba Howard of Ypsilanti were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Miller last Thursday.

Miss Faye Drake was home from Ann Arbor last week.

The Misses Ruth Sturm, Linnie Rogers, Gertrude Collins and Mary Worden returned to the school work in Detroit, Monday.

Rev. Tripp's class of the M. E. Sunday school met Tuesday evening with Mrs. C. F. Underkircher for the purpose of organizing.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the M. E. church met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Delos Townsend.

Mrs. Sarah Schleh is spending several weeks with her niece in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lindenschmidt have moved into their new home on Oakwood avenue.

Mrs. Edmond Hunt has been spending several days with her niece in Toledo.

Miss Mary Eccles was an Ann Arbor visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burkhart were Ann Arbor visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Bach of Ann Arbor was the Sunday guest of Mrs. K. B. Simmons.

Miss Bernice Barr was home from Milan for New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tower spent Sunday and Monday with Miss Louise Tower of Ann Arbor.

Marian, Emma and Walter Collins have returned to Lansing after spending the holidays at home.

Miss Hazel Morris is spending some time in Monroe.

Word was received last week of the serious illness of Floyd Goldie, son of Rev. and Mrs. Howard Goldie, a former pastor of the M. E. church.

John Collins was a Detroit visitor Saturday.

Miss Margaret Vanduzer will return to her school work in Manton the last of the week.

Great Deputy Commander Florence Krapf of the L. O. T. M. called on Saline friends Friday.

Mrs. Frank Buck spent last week in Detroit with Mrs. Anna Lamkin.

Mrs. George McTaggert and son William expect to return to Gregory Wednesday after spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Rowe.

On New Year's day Mr. and Mrs. John Rowe entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Gannett, Mr. and Mrs. James Youngs and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rowe of Lodi and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rowe of Ann Arbor.

Miss Margaret Gillen of Adrian visited Saline relatives last week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Simmons celebrated their golden wedding anniversary on New Year's day. Dinner was served to 28 guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller and family spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs .A. G. Cobb.

James and Michael Gillen of Adrian visited in Saline last week.

Everett Davenport has bought a farm near Dixboro.

Donald Burkhart spent several days last week in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Clark and daughters, Ella and Eda and Mrs. Emily Rouse, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Eddy of Ypsilanti at a 5 o'clock dinner on New Year's day.

On Saturday afternoon the Baptist society will hold their annual meeting and election of officers. In the evening Rev. Pettit of Ypsilanti will give an address at the close of which the ladies of the church will serve a banquet. Special music has been prepared. The evening's program is to celebrate the fact that the money for the church debt has been entirely raised.

On New Year's day Mr. and Mrs. Eden Ruckman celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary. Congratulations were received from friends and relatives in the east and the west.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Monroe are moving to Adrian this week.

Union services were held in the Methodist church Sunday evening with Rev. Irving Raab of the Presbyterian church occupying the pulpit.

The Week of Prayer will be observed by the several churches next week.

Margaret and Gertrude Miller returned to their teaching in Hastings Monday after spending the holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bond entertained Mrs. Hickox and daughters, Dora and Elva, of Ann Arbor on New Year's day.

The Saline Farmers' club will meet next week Friday with Mr. and Mrs. McBride of Dundee.

The ladies society of the Baptist church will hold their regular meeting next Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Reuben Rogers of York.

Walter Monroe is in Adrian for a few days.

DIXBORO

Dixboro, Jan. 5—Miss Esther Duris will return next Monday to her school at Laphams, after two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Wm. Gale had as a New Year's guest, her sister, Matilda, of Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Bert Galpin and son Ivan returned from Charlotte Tuesday where they have been spending a few days with her aunt.

Mrs. Fred Humme and daughter returned to their home near Bay City Tuesday. They have been spending the holidays with relatives in Ann Arbor and Dixboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Volney Winney and son Phares spent New Year's with friends in Ypsilanti.

Mrs. M. F. Clements visited her children in Detroit during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Graham of Ovid are visiting Mrs. Mary Shankland, Mrs. Graham's sister, and other relatives in this vicinity.

Mrs. Herbert Ammerman of Detroit was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Shuart, over New Year's.

Frank Robinson and family ate New Year's dinner at the home of Wm. Rook.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bush and daughter Marie of Ann Arbor spent New Year's at John Shankland's.

John Shankland has sold his farm on the Town Line to Mr. Davenport of Saline.

Eugene Koch and family of Ypsilanti attended the Bush family dinner at the home of John Shankland, New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Galpin are entertaining friends from Detroit this week.

The "Just a dozen club" of Dixboro met with Mrs. George Foster last Saturday.

Mrs. George Miller went to Saline last week to remain with friends over New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cowan and Ruth ate New Year's dinner at Oliver Martin's in Ann Arbor.

Miss Mary Keedle visited Detroit friends this week.

Miss Ola Duris of Ashtabula, Ohio, was a New Year's guest of the Misses Nanry.

Rev. and Mrs. Davies who have been spending Christmas week in Dixboro returned to Corunna last Saturday.

Miss A. Krauss commenced school Tuesday after a week's vacation.

Fred Ahrens and family returned from Saginaw and Flint Tuesday.

Harry Shankland was home from Jackson the first of the week.

This icy weather has caused Chris. Schmid to work overtime. There are so many horses to be shod.

Miss Mary Duris has been on the sick list the past week with the grip.

YORK

York, Jan. 5—Mrs. Emmitt Hendershott and daughter Ila are visiting the former's sister-in-law, Mrs. Frost, at Tecumseh.

Austin White has bought a farm three miles north of Dixboro.

Mr. and Mrs. McBride of Dundee spent New Year's with the latter's brother, Lem Josenhans.

Harry White returned to his school at Ypsilanti Tuesday.

Mrs. Sophie Davenport has been called to Whitmore Lake by the illness of her son, Milton's, wife.

Mrs. A. Montonye of Carleton is not much better. Mr. and Mrs. U. J. Warner are still there.

WIARD'S CROSSING

Wiard's Crossing, Jan. 5— John Woods of Denton and Lester Miller visited the museum and the library in Ann Arbor, Friday.

Will Miller spent New Year's with Charles Layton.

Mrs. Rod Biddle entertained for New Year's dinner Miss Florence Cook of Ann Arbor and Miss Carrie Spears of Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. John Youngs entertained friends from Toledo and Plymouth on New Years.

Walter and Jay Loree and Rod Biddle made a business trip to Detroit Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence DeVee and son Dale and Walter and Jay Loree spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Rod Biddle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wanty of Milan spent Tuesday in Ypsilanti.

Mr. Hamilton spent Tuesday afternoon with Charles Dennis.

John Schrades of Dundee and Chas. Wright of Milan called on Rod Biddle recently.

Travis Youngs spent one day last week in Ypsilanti.

The Wiard Hockey team defeated the Denton Hockey team at Wiard's pond New Year's day. Although a good game the score was one sided. L. Miller and Fulton made some brilliant plays and Captain Hamilton of the Wiard team used good head work.

RIDGE ROAD

Ridge Road, Jan. 5—The Denton Arbor of Gleaners will hold a meeting Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Burrell. Installation of officers and oyster supper.

Miss Clara Dale has returned home after spending the past few days with the Misses Iva and Minnie Johnson at their home near Belleville.

Miss Florence Holmes of Adams St. called on Miss Grace Simpson Monday afternoon. Miss Holmes has been spending the past few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gotts at Cherry Hill.

Mrs. Frank Towler is on the sick list.

J. Chester McDougall left Sunday for Big Rapids to attend the Ferris Institute.

A few young people of this vicinity gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Ableson Saturday evening. Light refreshments were served and a very enjoyable evening was spent.

The young people of Harris' corners, Wiard's, Ridge Road and Denton are enjoying fine skating at Wiard's pond.

SOUTH YPSILANTI

South Ypsilanti, Jan. 5—Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moore and family of Adrian were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Moore for Christmas. Mrs. Moore and children stayed until New Year's day.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Lord and family are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hurbert Lord. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Lord will leave for Oklahoma on Monday.

Miss Grace Binford is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Alban of Ypsilanti.

The meetings at the Friends' church will continue this week.

Mrs. Millie Young and children of Ann Arbor are guests of her mother and sister, Mrs. John Hewens.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hewens and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hewens were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Hammond for New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Moore of Ypsilanti were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan O'Brien, Saturday.

Mr. Wardell, carrier of Route No. 1, kindly remembered us all with a beautiful Christmas card.

Miss Celia Clark who has been spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. Rodah Derbyshire, has returned to her home in northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Scotten and the Misses Jennie Holmes and Anna Haldy were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Derbyshire New Year's.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sturton and son of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Burrell and children of Denton and Mr. and Mrs. Hurbert Allen and son Frank were entertained at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Allen, Sunday.

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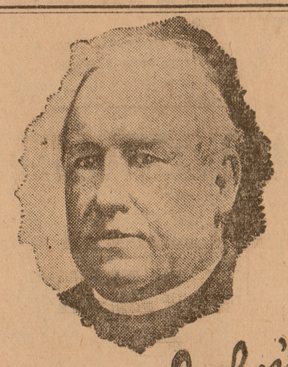

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of William R. Shier, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that four months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at D. C. Griffin's office in the City of Ypsilanti in said County, on the 4th day of March and on the 4th day of May next, at ten o'clock A. M., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated January 4th, 1912.

D. C. GRIFFIN,
MARTIN CREMER,
5—126 Commissioners.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on the 4th day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

Present, Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate,

In the Matter of the Estate of
Caroline Barnes, deceased,

C. W. Mansfield, administrator of said estate, having filed in this court his final account, and praying that the same may be heard and allowed.

It is Ordered, That the 29th day of January next at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for hearing said account.

And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Ypsilanti Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County of Washtenaw.

(A true copy.)

EMORY E. LELAND,
Judge of Probate.
DORCAS C. DONEGAN, Register.
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STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on the 4th day of January, in the year one thousand nine hundred and twelve.

Present Emory E. Leland, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of
George C. Smith, deceased,

Andrew Campbell, executor of said estate, having filed in this court his final account, and praying that the same may be heard and allowed.

It is Ordered, That the 29th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for hearing said account.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss.

The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said County, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of John Schettler, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that four months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the office of John Kalmbach in the village of Chelsea in said County, on the 23rd day of February and on the 23rd day of April next, at ten o'clock A. M., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated December 21st, 1911.

EMANUEL SCHENK,
LOUIS H. HINDELANG,
5—112 Commissioners.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for said County of Washtenaw, held at the Probate Office in the City of Ann Arbor, on the 20th day of December, in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven.

Present, Emory E Leland, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of
Elizabeth Crabb, incompetent,

Levi Freeman, guardian of said incompetent, having filed in this court his final account, and praying that the same may be heard and allowed,

It is Ordered, That the 15th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be appointed for hearing said account.

And it is further Ordered, That a copy of this order be published three successive weeks previous to said time of hearing, in the Ypsilanti Daily Press, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County of Washtenaw.

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Sheep pelts as to the amount of wool.	
No. 1, green Veal Kip	11¾c
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The old idea of using sage for darkening the hair is again coming in vogue. Our grandmothers used to have dark, glossy hair at the age of seventy-five while our mothers have white hair before they are fifty. Our grandmothers used to make a "sage tea" and apply it to their hair. The tea made their hair soft and glossy, and gradually restored the natural color.

One objection to using such a preparation was the trouble of making it, especially as it had to be made every two or three days, on account of souring quickly. This objection has been overcome, and by asking almost any first-class druggist for Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy the public can get a superior preparation of sage, with the admixture of sulphur, another valuable remedy for hair and scalp troubles. Daily use of this preparation will not only quickly restore the color of the hair, but will also stop the hair from falling out and make it grow.

Get a bottle from your druggist today. Use it and see for yourself how quickly dandruff goes and gray hairs vanish.

This preparation is offered to the public at fifty cents a bottle, and is recommended and sold by all druggists. Special agent, Weinmann-Matthews, 118 Congress street.

"LOOK OUT FOR THE CARS"

DO YOU know of anyone who is old enough to read, who has not seen that sign at a railroad crossing?

If everyone has seen it at some time or other, then why doesn't the railroad let the sign rot away? Why does the railroad company continue to keep those signs at every crossing?

Maybe you think, Mr. Merchant, "Most everybody knows my store, I don't have to advertise."

Your store and your goods need more advertising than the railroads need do to warn people to "Look Out for the Cars."

Nothing is ever completed in the advertising world.

The Department Stores are a very good example—they are continuous advertising—and they are continually doing a good business.

If it pays to run a few ads 'round about Christmas time, it certainly will pay you to run advertisements about all the time.

It's just business, that's all, to
ADVERTISE in
THIS PAPER

For the Children

Curious Basket Boats Still Used In Wales.

These curious boats, resembling clothes baskets in form, are modern types of the coracle, an ancient craft used by the Britons 2,000 years ago. They have survived the centuries and are still used in Wales by salmon fishermen. The modern coracle comprises a framework of sticks cut from the ash and beech trees, covered with a strong sheet of canvas, saturated with tar and pitch. They weigh about twenty-five pounds. The fishermen using these boats work in pairs, the salmon net being strung between the two.

Cause of Thunder.

Thunder is the noise produced by lightning and is harmless. It has usually been thought that the noise is created by the closing up of the vacuum made by the passage of the lightning, the air rushing in from all sides with a clap, but the intensity of the noise is rather disproportionate, and it is now supposed that thunder is due to the intense heating of gases, especially the gas of water vapor along the line of electric discharge, and the consequent conversion of suspended moisture into steam at enormous pressure. In this way the crackle with which a peal of thunder sometimes begins might be regarded as the sound of steam explosion on a small scale caused by discharges before the main flash. The rumble would be the overlapping steam explosions, and the final clap, which sounds loudest, would be the steam explosion nearest to the auditor. In the case of rumbling thunder the lightning is passing from cloud to cloud. When the flash passes from the earth to the clouds the clap is loudest at the beginning.—Chicago Tribune.

Whirlwind a Good Game.

A good game on the order of "going to Jerusalem," but less familiar, is called in this country "whirlwind," but by our English cousins is known as "caterpillar." When something is wanted to get a crowd of young folks stirred up and fun started just try whirlwind.

Draw up as many chairs as there are players and range them in a ring. All the players sit down but one, the question of who will be left standing being decided by cutting cards or drawing slips of paper. The object of the player who remains standing is to get a seat, but this the other players try to prevent by moving rapidly from seat to seat in such a way as to fill up the vacancy as soon as he is seen to approach it. This causes the whirlwind, a very descriptive name.

When he secures a seat the player on his left becomes chairless. The players may move either to the left or right, as occasion requires, to protect the chairs and prevent the chairless from getting a seat.

Chinese Punk Sticks.

Punk sticks are made in China, and the cheapest grades of the sticks are composed wholly of the elm bark. They give off a heavy acrid smoke not at all pleasing. The better grades are perfumed with a variety of substances, the commonest being sandalwood. The price of the sticks in China, where the children are as fond of them as they are here, but where the elders also regard them with much seriousness, ranges from four bunches for a cent to two sticks for a cent. The prices in this country are just about double those prevailing in China.

The most valuable sticks in China and those which seldom if ever are imported into this country are those in the manufacture of which Tibetan incense is used. These sticks are made almost exclusively for the imperial court, which requires them for all its ceremonies.

A Geographical Question.

"Mother," asked Jennie, "where is Atoms?"

"Athens, you mean, I guess."

"No, mother, I mean Atoms, because when a person is in a boiler explosion or an earthquake they always say he is blown to Atoms."

Harry's Airship.

Harry built an airship
To sail up in the sky.
He told his little sister
He meant to sail "on high."

He worked all morning on it;
He worked all afternoon.
He said he wished to finish
His wondrous airship soon.

When it was done he climbed in
And cried to sister dear:
"Look out! I think I'm rising!
You mustn't come too near!"

But not an inch budged airship.
In vain young Harry tried.
He coaxed, he pushed, he lifted;
Then sprang he out and cried:

"Well, just stay there, old airship!
I'd not sail anyway!
I'd rather play with sister
And not go up today!"

—Chicago News.

Leading Tobacco Markets.

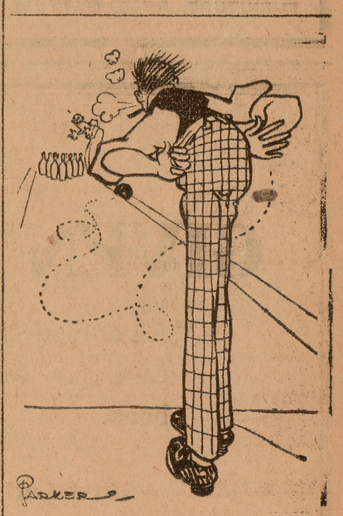
Germany and the United States are the world's leading markets for tobacco.

SPORTING —NEWS— G

BELL BROS. SET RECORD FOR LOW ROLLING

Thursday night's match in the two-man league produced the poorest rolling of the week. Lynn and Don Bell were paired against Gaudy and Grimston and, although Grimston was handicapped by the absence of his partner, he succeeded in defeating the "Bell Boys" three straight games.

In the first game L. Bell succeeded in pounding the timber for 160 but his teammate was going bad and Grimston with the 150 score allowed an absent man, coupled with his mighty effort of 158 was able to win by one pin. The second game was even worse than the first. L. Bell being the offender this time, rolling the low score of 119, which added to his brother's portion totaled them only 271 against Grimston's 317. In the last game the Bells rung up a better score, getting o total of 325, but Grimston hit his stride in this game also and won by 13 pins. The scores:



"Butch" Grimston Had Trouble in Hitting the Head Pin.

L. Bell	160	119	169
D. Bell	147	152	156
Totals	307	271	325
Gaudy	150	150	150
Grimston	158	167	168
Totals	308	317	338

Expensive Immigrant.

The gypsy moth is a European pest which was accidentally introduced into Massachusetts nearly 40 years ago, and has since spread rather slowly, being still confined to the eastern part of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, the southern part of New Hampshire, and to more or less isolated localities in eastern Connecticut and southwestern Maine. The presence of this insect was first discovered in Boston in 1889, and the state of Massachusetts for a number of years kept up a vigorous effort to exterminate the insect, making large appropriations therefor. This work was abandoned, however, in 1900, but the conditions soon became so bad that appropriations were again made in 1905, and have since been continued annually. In spite of the work of that state the situation became so serious that the national government practically on the ground of the great danger that these pests would soon spread to other states, was called upon to assist, and since 1907 congress has been making annual appropriations to aid in the work of control. The amount of this appropriation is now $300,000 annually—Farmers' Bulletin No. 453.

How He Got His Degree.

"He gave out that he had a million that wasn't working. Several colleges immediately conferred degrees upon him." "And then?" "Then he built a soap factory with the money."

$100 REWARD, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucus surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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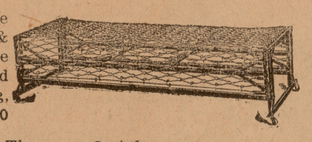

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Society News

Calendar for Saturday, Jan. 6, 1912

Epiphany party, 5:30 to 7 p. m., St. Luke's church house.

Epiphany: observed at 10 a. m., St. Luke's church.

Ypsilanti Grange, No. 56, 10:30 a. m., Masonic Temple. Dinner. Open Meeting at 1:30 p. m. Installation of officers. Reports of delegates.

Basket ball game between Normal College and Albion College, 8 p. m., Normal gymnasium.

Sophomores to Give Party.

A party will be given at the Country Club this evening by the sophomores of the high school. Kilian's orchestra will provide the music.

A Practical Lesson.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid society at their meeting on Thursday afternoon sewed on a carpet for use at the church.

To Give Informal Party.

A number of the "Bugs" will give an informal dancing party at the Maccabee hall this evening. This is not one of the series that are being given by that organization.

Meet at Kief Home.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid society met Thursday with Mrs. Bennett Kief, who, after the business of the afternoon had been disposed of, served afternoon tea. Mrs. Fletcher read a poem by Foley entitled, "One of these days."

K. of P. to Give Banquet.

A special meeting of the Knights of Pythias will be held Monday evening. The installation of the new officers will take place at this time. Hon. Phillip T. Colgrove, Past Supreme Chancellor, of Hastings, will be a guest of honor. A banquet will be served by the losers of the attendance contest which has been in progress during the past few weeks.

Aid Women Have Joint Meeting.

The Baptist Ladies' Aid society and the Missionary Circle held a joint meeting on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank Fletcher. About thirty were in attendance. The Aid society decided to give a George Washington supper on February 22 at the church. The Missionary Circle provided the program, which consisted of a paper by Mrs. J. P. Everett on Alaska, describing the country and the work of the Baptist missions there, and two solos by Miss Mary Flint. Refreshments were served.

Celebrate Tenth Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wordon near Wayne celebrated their tenth anniversary at their beautiful home at the Maple Grove farm New Year's day. A four-course dinner was served and the day was pleasantly spent in music and recitation. The host and hostess received many useful articles of tin. The out-of-town guests were Mrs. George Haggitt and children, Miss Louise Haggitt and Thomas McCormack of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wagner of Toronto, Ont., Mrs. Mary Hawley, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson of Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. John Artley of Canton, and Mrs. J. Green of Ypsilanti.

E. M. Childs will leave Saturday for Southern Pines, Carolina, where he will spend the winter. He will spend some time at VanWert, Ohio, with his daughter, enroute.

E. G. Palmer of Jackson, district deputy of the Woodmen of the World, was in the city Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Showerman is spending today with relatives in Ann Arbor.

W. R. McCleer of Ann Arbor is a bath house patron this week.

Miss Mamie Reinhart has accepted a position in Detroit.

Mrs. A. D. Hodges returned Tuesday after a few weeks' visit with her mother at Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tillman of Dearborn have rented the Thornton residence on East Congress street.

Mrs. George Haggitt and children of Detroit, formerly of this city, who have been spending a few days with relatives here, left Tuesday for their future home at Bloomington, Ill.

A. C. Todd is in Detroit today on business.

Mrs. Charles Schrepper spent Thursday in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wulf and daughter Vera returned home Thursday from a week's stay with relatives at Saginaw.

George Dunlap spent Wednesday in Ann Arbor.

Miss Jennie Morey of this city has been the guest of Mrs. K. B. Simmons of Saline.

President Jones is out of the city and will not return before Monday.

Miss Edith Adams of the Normal kindergarten is ill in Chicago, but will return to Ypsilanti in time to begin her duties on Monday.

Miss Gertrude Smith, third grade teacher in the Woodruff school, is ill at her home in New York, but will return to the city and resume her work on Monday.

Clarkson Snedecor of the firm of Snedecor and Hathaway of Detroit called on his cousin, A. D. Snedecor, of this city, Thursday evening.

FOR YOUR HAIR

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NEW HAIR FILLETS.

Juliet Caps and Egyptian Bandeau.

HEADDRESS OF EGYPTIAN DESIGN.

Headdresses are quite wonderful.

There are walls of Troy in rhine stones and jet with a white aigret at the side; there are two inch bands of tarnished bullion latticework set with turquoise and garnet; there are broad bars of black tulle held by horizontal bars of rhinestones set in silver; black velvet bands with a latticework of jewels and a yellow aigret at the side.

In addition to all these oriental fillets there is a wide showing of the four teenth century Italian caps in keeping with the sleeves, the shoulder line and the lace ruffles which are revived from the Italian period.

The caps are like those to which we once gave the name of Juliet. They are made of pearls, crystals, turquoise and corals on a white satin or white tulle foundation. As pink is so much the fashion this year among the exclusives, although it is not widely talked about, one sees a good many of these caps made of coral beads strung on coral silk and mounted on a white fabric.

Satin is rather an unusual material for these caps, but it is newer than tulle and looks quite picturesque when it is worn on top of the head, edged with a row of pearls or crystals and cut to sharp points that fall over the hair, which hides the ears. The headdress pictured is a charming reproduction of Egyptian art.

GIRLS WILL BE USHERS

Ann Arbor, Jan. 5—Trinity English Lutheran church has decided to use young girls as ushers at the evening services during the new year. It is the first church in the city to try such a plan.

YPSILANTI MAN GETS THE LAST MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED IN 1911

Ann Arbor, Jan. 5—There were 375 marriage licenses issued in 1911, Mark Rust of Ypsilanti and Miss Effie Pullen of Milan getting the last license in the old year.

VERDICT WORSE THAN DEATH

Jury Asked Life Term With Yearly Torment For Wife Slayer.

One of the most remarkable verdicts ever found by a jury in Illinois was returned by the one which fixed the punishment of Henry W. Morris at life imprisonment for the murder of Mrs. Estelle Dumas of Pontiac. The verdict stipulated that on each anniversary of the slaying of Mrs. Dumas the prisoner be placed in a dungeon and put on a bread and water diet. It was further stipulated that no board of pardons should ever parole the prisoner.

Judge Carnes told the jurors the verdict could not be carried out and sent them back to bring in one differently worded. One juror said it was the opinion of the members that hanging was too good for Morris.

WOMAN JOINS LEE CAMP.

Captain Sallie Tompkins Only Confederate Army Officer of Her Sex.

Captain Sallie Tompkins of Richmond, Va., the only woman commissioned as an officer in the Confederate military service, has been elected a member of Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans. The vote was unanimous.

Miss Tompkins established and maintained at her own expense a hospital where 1,300 wounded and sick Confederate soldiers were treated between July 1, 1861, and June 1, 1865.

When the Confederate secretary of war required all military hospitals to be in charge of an army or naval officer President Davis commissioned Miss Tompkins a captain of infantry.

Sherbet From Violets.

Sherbet made of extract of violets was much esteemed in the east and Mohammed is reported to have said of it that it surpassed all other extracts. In some parts of Europe it is customary to mingle violets, roses and lime blossoms with preserves to add a flower element to the fruity flavor. In Egypt and Turkey violets are used in making sherbets, as mint is employed in juleps in Kentucky.

DROPSY TREATED FREE

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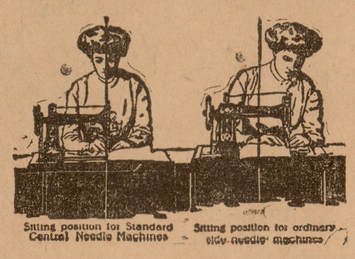

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